85. A method of forming a product which comprises heating the composition of Claim 82 until a melt is obtained and then shaping it into an article.

REMARKS

Claims 78 to 85 are presented for the purpose of provoking an interference with U.S. Patent No. 5,462,983 issued October 31, 1995 to S. Bloembergen et al.

Claims 78 (Claim 1 of patent), 79 (Claim 8 of patent), 80 (Claim 11 of patent) and 81 (Claim 13 of patent) were copied verbatim from the '983 patent. The other claims, i.e., 82 to 85 are substantial copies of the claimed invention in the '983 patent using slight modifications in language which is more appropriate to this application.

Because of the shortness of time, Applicants are presenting this paper now but will supplement it with additional information in the near future to fully comply with Rules 1.607 and 1.608 and the request to provoke an interference with the above noted U.S. Patent No. 5,462,983.

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